

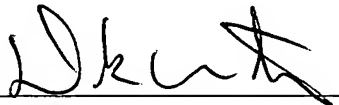
REMARKS

The following is in response to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121). This response includes the following corrected sections: an amendment to the specification, which does not include amendments to the abstract; and an amendment to the abstract presented on separated piece of paper.

Should any outstanding issues remain, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned at (408) 293-9000 so that any such issues can be expeditiously resolved.

Respectfully Submitted,

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